



# Missouri Crop Progress and Condition

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Precipitation averaged 1.21 inches statewide. Temperatures averaged 59.5 degrees, 7.2 degrees below normal. There were 1.2 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending May 24. Topsoil moisture supply was rated 47 percent adequate and 53 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supply was rated 4 percent short, 78 percent adequate, and 18 percent surplus. Corn planting progressed to 85 percent complete, compared to 96 percent last year and 90 percent for the 5-year average. Corn emerged progressed to 77 percent, 2 percentage points ahead of the 5-year average. Soybean planting progressed to 20 percent complete, compared to 57 percent for the previous year and 43 percent for the 5-year average. Winter wheat condition was rated 1 percent very poor, 4 percent poor, 39 percent fair, 52 percent good, and 4 percent excellent. Rice planting progressed to 78 percent complete. Rice emerged progressed to 70 percent. Cotton planting progressed to 76 percent complete. Pasture condition was rated 2 percent poor, 29 percent fair, 56 percent good, and 13 percent excellent. Spring tillage is 84 percent complete compared to 95 percent for last year.

## Days Suitable for Fieldwork and Soil Moisture Supply: Week Ending May 24, 2015

District and State	Days Suitable for Fieldwork	Topsoil Moisture Supply				Subsoil Moisture Supply			
		Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
		(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Northwest .....	0.5	-	-	22	78	-	-	51	49
North Central .....	0.9	-	1	55	44	-	1	84	15
Northeast .....	0.6	-	2	54	44	-	14	79	7
West Central .....	0.3	-	-	35	65	-	4	74	22
Central .....	1.7	-	1	49	50	-	4	81	15
East Central .....	3.3	-	-	85	15	-	3	84	13
Southwest .....	2.3	1	1	75	23	-	12	85	3
South Central .....	2.7	-	6	63	31	1	12	73	14
Southeast .....	1.2	-	-	36	64	-	-	90	10
Missouri .....	1.2	-	-	47	53	-	4	78	18

- Represents zero.

## Crop Progress – Missouri

Item	Week ending			2010-2014 Average
	May 24, 2015	May 17, 2015	May 24, 2014	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn planted .....	85	82	96	90
Corn emerged .....	77	65	86	75
Soybeans planted .....	20	16	57	43
Soybeans emerged .....	11	5	31	22
Cotton planted .....	76	73	87	88
Rice planted .....	78	75	94	90
Rice emerged .....	70	53	82	80
Sorghum planted .....	36	31	52	41
Winter wheat headed .....	91	77	85	88
Alfalfa hay 1st cutting .....	23	17	33	32
Other hay cut .....	9	5	14	17

## Crop Condition – Missouri: Week Ending May 24, 2015

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn .....	1	5	32	57	5
Cotton .....	1	12	62	24	1
Rice .....	-	6	49	37	8
Winter Wheat .....	1	4	39	52	4
Pasture .....	-	2	29	56	13

- Represents zero.

## Crop Progress by District: Week Ending May 24, 2015

Item	NW	NC	NE	WC	C	EC	SW	SC	SE
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn planted .....	64	85	90	93	97	95	95	83	98
Corn emerged .....	50	77	81	91	92	84	66	82	97
Soybeans planted .....	9	21	28	10	16	35	16	17	32
Soybeans emerged .....	4	10	16	7	10	15	3	15	23
Winter wheat headed .....	52	93	87	87	96	99	94	94	96

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Item	NW	NC	NE	WC	C	EC	SW	SC	SE
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
<b>Corn</b>									
Very Poor .....	4	-	2	-	4	-	-	-	-
Poor .....	14	2	3	4	4	-	-	8	6
Fair .....	50	34	20	30	16	23	45	37	31
Good .....	31	58	65	59	71	76	55	51	56
Excellent .....	1	6	10	7	5	1	-	4	7
<b>Winter Wheat</b>									
Very Poor .....	1	-	3	4	-	-	-	-	2
Poor .....	12	3	9	10	1	2	-	6	5
Fair .....	53	21	40	31	31	33	31	75	54
Good .....	33	62	42	51	66	62	67	17	35
Excellent .....	1	14	6	4	2	3	2	2	4

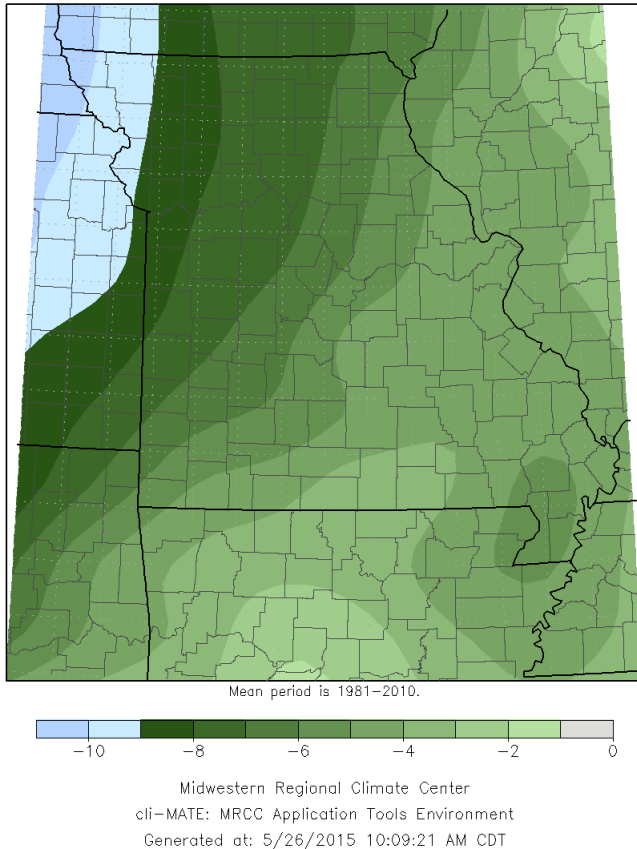
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## Supply of Hay and Other Roughages and Stock Water Supply: Week Ending May 24, 2015

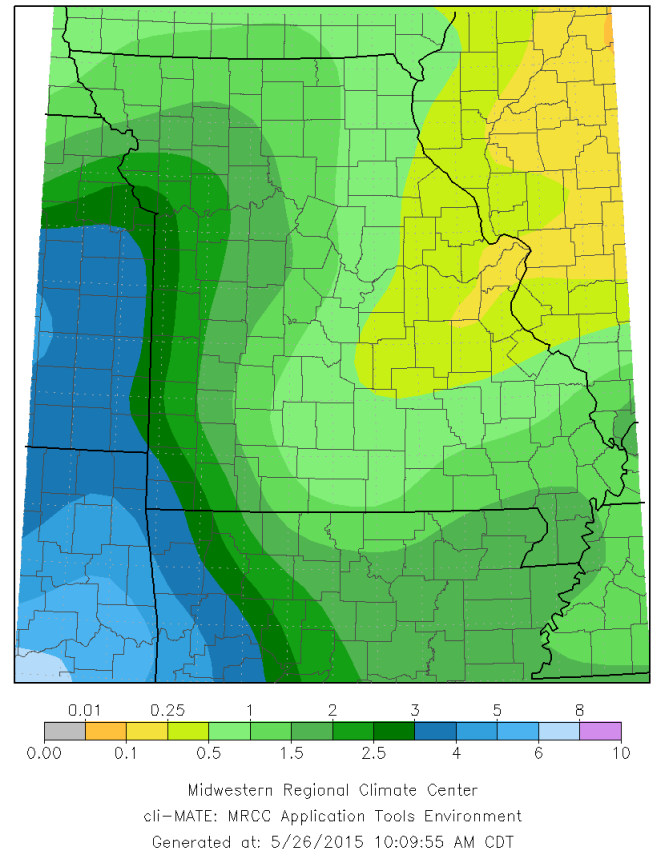
District and State	Supply of Hay and Other Roughages				Stock Water Supply			
	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Northwest .....	-	8	85	7	-	-	48	52
North Central .....	-	1	89	10	-	-	77	23
Northeast .....	1	2	87	10	-	10	83	7
West Central .....	-	1	80	19	-	1	79	20
Central .....	-	2	90	8	-	1	87	12
East Central .....	-	10	87	3	-	3	80	17
Southwest .....	-	-	98	2	-	-	90	10
South Central .....	-	7	91	2	-	3	93	4
Southeast .....	-	-	93	7	-	-	88	12
Missouri .....	-	3	90	7	-	1	83	16

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Average Temperature (°F): Departure from Mean  
May 18, 2015 to May 24, 2015



Accumulated Precipitation (in)  
May 18, 2015 to May 24, 2015



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